B. Amendment to the Specification

Please amend the paragraph at page 31, lines 11-19, as follows:

--The structure of a laminated diffractive optical element and a manufacture method thereof are described in this Comparative Example 2 with reference to FIGS. 24A to 24C, 6A to 6C, 25 and 26. In Comparative Example 3, an optical raw material 122 was prepared in the same manner as in <u>Example Ecample</u> 1 except that N-vinylcarbazole (from Tokyo Kasei Kogyo Co., Ltd.) and 1% 1-hydroxycyclohexylphenyl ketone were used.--